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From: HOLTZ

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT
AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): Hiroyoshi KOBAYASHI et al

Serial No. : 10/025,281

Filed : December 19, 2001

For : IMAGING APPARATUS AND
OPTICAL SCREEN UNIT

Art Unit : 2851

Examiner : W. C. Dowling

RESPONSE - 37 C.F.R. 1.111

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

S I R :

This is responsive to the Office Action mailed February 25,
2003, the term for response to which expires on March 25, 2003.

ELECTION:

Applicants hereby elect Group I, claims 1-8, drawn to an
image forming system, for further prosecution on the merits,
without traverse.

Applicants have informed the undersigned that the
inventorship remains unchanged for the elected subject matter.

It is respectfully requested that prosecution on the merits
now proceed on the basis of the election set forth hereinabove.

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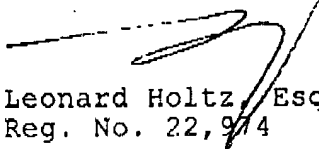
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If the Examiner has any comments, questions, objections or recommendations, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at the telephone number given below for prompt action.

Respectfully submitted,


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